

ANNUAL REPORTS  
of the  
**Town of Newbury**  
New Hampshire

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For the Year Ending  
December 31, 1947





# Annual Reports

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENT

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

FOR THE

## Town of Newbury

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Together With a Report of the

SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947

AND THE

Vital Statistics for the Year 1947

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### *Selectmen*

ALBERT W. CHENEY	Term Expires 1948
FREDERICK S. COOK	Term Expires 1949
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM	Term Expires 1950

### *Representative*

ALBERT W. CHENEY

### *Moderator*

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN

### *Town Clerk*

GEORGE W. BERGLUND

### *Town Treasurer*

SHIRLEY E. POWERS

### *Tax Collector*

MERLE A. WEBBERSON

### *Road Agent*

MERTON E. PERKINS

### *Supervisors*

MOSES H. BLY	ERNESTINE S. MERRILL
WILLIAM P. EATON	

### *Auditors*

JAMES D. BIXBY	RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN
WILFRED K. ROLLINS	

### *Library Trustees*

BERTHA C. RICH	Term Expires 1948
MARIE H. THOMAS	Term Expires 1949
ERNESTINE S. MERRILL	Term Expires 1950

*Chief of Police*

RALPH W. SHAW

*Health Officer*

DONALD PREBLE

*Overseer of Poor*

HAROLD P. EATON

*Janitor*

WILLIAM P. EATON

*Engineers of Fire Department*

*Chief,* GEORGE E. CROTEAU

*Asst. Chief,* RALPH W. SHAW

*Fire Warden*

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM

*Deputy Fire Wardens*

SHIRLEY R. POWERS

RAY HALL

ARTHUR E. ROWE

FRED THOMPSON

*School Board*

EILEEN PREBLE

Term Expires 1948

JAMES H. MITCHELL

Term Expires 1949

C. MERRILL DUBAY

Term Expires 1950

*School Treasurer*

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

SHIRLEY R. POWERS

Term Expires 1948

ERNESTINE S. MERRILL

Term Expires 1949

MERTIE M. ROWE

Term Expires 1950



## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

[L. s.]

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newbury, in the County of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Newbury on Tuesday, the ninth of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects: The Articles of the Warrant to be taken at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, with the exception of balloting.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for painting the Office Building inside and out.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred fifty dollars (\$450.00) for painting the Memorial Hall.
6. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising and appropriating the sum of  
for the purpose of Class V Roads.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town, together with the other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the New London Hospital.

9. To see what action the town wishes to take in regards to disposing of property acquired by tax deed, the vote to hold until rescinded.

10. To see if the town will vote to reroof the Town Hall raise and appropriate money for same.

11. To see what action the town will take in prohibiting the use of the Town Wharf, Newbury and Esplanade for commercial purposes, to hold until rescinded.

12. To see what action the town will take in closing the Cross Road from Route 103 to the South Road subject to gates and bars.

13 (a) To lay a permanent surface on Lake Avenue, Washington Street, Pine and Orchard Streets, Sunlight Lane, Post Office Street and the Beach Road running from Lake Avenue to the entrance of the home of Mr. Jacques Coleman.

13 (b) To widen said roads where the same are not of uniform width with the remaining portions, especially in front of the property of Joseph Gowan known as the "Ten Eyck" on the easterly side of Washington Street.

13 (c) To widen the road which leads from Route 103A to the lake at the bend about where the "15 mile" traffic sign stands on the northerly side almost opposite the entrance to



the caretaker's home of the Bowles Estate, and on the hill in front of the home of Donald Preble.

That these improvements be made over a period of years.

14. To see what action the town wishes to take in regard to purchasing two additional new portable pumps and equipment for same and raise and appropriate money for same.

15. To see what action the town wishes to take to reorganize the Newbury Fire Department in accordance with existing state law Chapter 175 of Revised Laws of New Hampshire, year 1942.

16. To see what action the town wishes to take in regards to installing a dry hydrant at the Esplanade in Newbury.

17. To see what action the town wishes to take in regards to purchasing a 2000 gallon or 1500 gallon tank truck, and raise and appropriate money for same.

18. To see what action the town wishes to take in regards to accepting the One Hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the perpetual care of the George Gillingham and Elma Lovering cemetery lots.

19. To see what action the town wishes to take in regards to accepting One hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the perpetual care of the Loren Ayer cemetery lot.

20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for the control of Pine Blister Rust.

ALBERT W. CHENEY,  
FREDERICK S. COOK,  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,

*Selectmen of Newbury.*

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

## Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year	Actual Revenue Previous Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year
	1947	1947	1948
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax .....	\$175.00	\$155.34	\$150.00
Railroad Tax .....	60.00	35.55	30.00
Savings Bank Tax .....	275.00	235.19	200.00
For Fighting Forest Fires .....	23.54	44,578.74	.....
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Permits .....	.....	13.25	.....
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	.....	5.00	.....
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....	.....	41.16	.....
Income from Trust Funds .....	.....	106.30	.....
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment .....	.....	1,541.51	.....
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees .....	450.00	848.28	600.00
Sale of Town Property .....	.....	300.00	200.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds:	.....	3,500.00	.....
Boston & Maine Railroad fire .....	.....	54.15	.....
Town of Washington fire .....	.....	297.00	.....
AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES:			
Anticipation of Taxes .....	.....	20,000.00	.....
Forest Fire .....	.....	10,000.00	.....
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2.00	392.00	364.00	300.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES:	\$1,375.54	\$82,075.47	\$1,480.00

# NEWBURY, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year January 1, 1948 to December 31, 1948 Compared with

Year January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year	Actual Expenditures Previous Year	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:	1947	1947	1948
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$1,800.00	\$1,708.75	\$1,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	400.00	374.47	500.00
Election and Registration Exp. ..	150.00	78.50	300.00
Painting Town Hall .....	500.00	491.65	.....
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings .....	200.00	187.29	200.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department .....	150.00	105.59	150.00
Fire Department .....	500.00	367.93	400.00
Forest Fire .....	200.00	54,346.92	500.00
Health:			
Health Department, including hospitals .....	500.00	364.50	200.00
Vital Statistics .....	10.00	1.50	10.00
Dumps .....	300.00	137.30	300.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance: Summer ....	6,500.00	9,762.47	5,500.00
Town Maintenance: Winter ....	.....	.....	3,500.00
Street Lighting .....	1,200.00	1,298.49	1,350.00
General Expenses of Highway Department .....	500.00	553.07	500.00
Permanent Improvement .....	1,200.00	1,543.12	1,200.00
Libraries .....	200.00	190.20	200.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor .....	400.00	96.25	400.00
Old Age Assistance .....	1,200.00	786.35	1,200.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Hall .....	1,500.00	1,500.00	200.00
Aid to Soldiers and their families	200.00	.....	200.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Town Reports .....	225.00	214.60	250.00
Cemeteries .....	500.00	541.43	750.00
Insurance and Bonds .....	575.00	587.18	650.00
Dry Hydrant .....	300.00	346.33	.....
Town Wharf—Esplanade .....	.....	37.99	50.00
Unclassified:			
Taxes bought by town .....	.....	52.19	.....
Damages and Legal Expenses ...	300.00	.....	100.00
Advertising and Regional Asso- ciations .....	525.00	525.00	400.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans .....	100.00	123.44	200.00
On School Fund .....	35.00	.....	70.00
On Parsonage Fund .....	24.00	24.00	24.00
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PERM. IMPROVEMENT:			
Highways and Bridges:			
State Aid Construction—Town's Share .....	599.71	599.71	.....
New Lands and Buildings .....	500.00	500.00	.....
New Equipment .....	1,500.00	5,325.00	.....
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN- MENTAL DIVISIONS:			
County Taxes .....	4,472.71	4,472.71	.....
Payments to School Districts ....	12,464.80	10,464.80	.....
TOTAL EXPENDITURES .....	\$39,731.22	\$97,708.73	\$21,104.00



# FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF NEWBURY

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## BALANCE

Town of Newbury

## ASSETS

Cash:

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1947

In hands of treasurer ..... \$3,489.71

Capital Reserve Funds:

Trustee of Trust Funds for Gen-  
eral use ..... 3,127.30

Accounts Due to the Town—

Due from State:

Bounties ..... 87.00

Due from County:

Poor off Farm ..... 54.66

Unredeemed Taxes:

(from tax sale on account of)

Levy of 1946 ..... 29.97

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1947 ..... 2,364.90

Levy of 1946 ..... 4.00

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Total Assets ..... \$9,157.54

Excess of liabilities over assets (Net

Debt) ..... 9,367.12

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Grand Total ..... \$18,524.66

SHEET

December 31, 1947

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Fire Pumps .....	\$260.00
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Due to School Districts:

Dog licenses .....	102.36
Balance of Appropriation .....	5,000.00
Interest on School Fund .....	35.00

Capital Reserve Funds:

(Offsets similar Asset account) ..	3,127.30
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Outstanding Temporary Loans in  
Anticipation of Taxes:

Loan & Trust Savings Bank May 30, 1948 .....	10,000.00
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Total Liabilities .....	<u>\$18,524.66</u>
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Grand Total .....	<u>\$18,524.66</u>
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## RECEIPTS AND

Town of Newbury

### RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes—Current Year .	\$34,158.16
Poll taxes—Current Year—Regular at \$2.00 .....	332.00
Total of Current Year's taxes collected and remitted .....	\$34,490.16
Property taxes—Previous Years .....	1,287.83
Poll taxes—Previous Years—Regular at \$2 .....	28.00
Tax Sales Costs .....	11.43
Interest received on taxes .....	41.16

From State:

Interest and dividend tax .....	\$155.34
Railroad tax .....	35.55
Savings bank tax .....	235.19
Fighting forest fires .....	44,578.74
Bounties .....	42.50



## PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1947

### PAYMENTS

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

##### General Government:

Town officers' salaries .....	\$1,708.75
Town officers' expenses .....	374.47
Election and registration ex- penses .....	78.50
Painting Town Hall .....	491.65
Expenses town hall and other town buildings .....	187.29

##### Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department, including care of tramps .....	105.59
Fire department, including forest fires .....	54,714.85
Bounties .....	127.00

##### Health:

Health department, including hos- pitals .....	364.50
Vital statistics .....	1.50
Dumps .....	137.30

##### Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid .....	599.71
Town Maintenance (Summer & Winter) .....	9,762.47
Street lighting and sprinkling ....	1,298.49
General Expenses of Highway De- partment .....	553.07

##### Libraries:

Libraries .....	190.20
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# RECEIPTS AND

## From County :

For support of poor .....	299.58
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## From Local Sources, Except Taxes :

Dog licenses .....	116.00
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Business licenses and permits ....	2.25
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Filing Fees .....	11.00
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Rent of town property .....	5.00
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Police Department .....	9.00
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Trustee on Trust lots .....	106.30
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Highway Department .....	1,459.95
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Registration of motor vehicles, 1946 Permits .....	22.51
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Registration of motor vehicles, 1947 Permits .....	818.05
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Registration of motor vehicles, 1948 Permits .....	4.55
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Overpayment .....	3.17
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\$47,904.68

## PAYMENTS — *Continued*

### Public Welfare:

Old age assistance .....	786.35
Town poor .....	96.25
County poor .....	330.09

### Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Hall and Veterans' Associations .....	1,500.00
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### Public Service Enterprises:

Dry Hydrant .....	346.33
Town Wharf-Esplanade .....	37.99
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	541.43
Insurance and Bonds .....	587.18

### Unclassified:

Town Reports .....	214.60
Advertising and Regional Associations .....	525.00
Taxes bought by town .....	52.19
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds .....	25.08

### Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes .....	\$123.44
Parsonage Fund .....	24.00

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Total Interest Payments .....	\$147.44
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### Outlay for New Construction and

#### Permanent Improvements:

Permanent Improvement .....	1,543.12
Lands and buildings .....	500.00



## RECEIPTS AND

### Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year .....	30,000.00
Insurance adjustments .....	3.29
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds .....	3,500.00
Sale of town property—Arthur Phinney—Stone place .....	300.00
Anna Holbrook, trust fund for Geo. Gillingham and Elma Loverin cemetery lots .....	100.00
Newbury Fire Department, lantern	5.00
B. & M. R. R., forest fire .....	54.15
Town of Washington, forest fire ..	297.00
Overpayment on dog tax to School District .....	60.00
Federal tax on town truck .....	84.07
William Eaton, damage to lawn mower .....	18.00
Sunapee Lake Grange, payment on drainage .....	25.00
Outstanding checks over 6 mo. credited to town .....	2.35
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	\$34,448.86
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Total Receipts From All Sources .....	\$118,212.12
Cash on hand January 1, 1947 .....	3,743.76
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Grand Total .....	\$121,955.88

## PAYMENTS — *Concluded*

### New equipment:

Highway .....	\$4,085.00
Other .....	1,240.00

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5,325.00

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Total Outlay Payments .....	7,368.12
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### Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes .....	20,000.00
Payments to trustees, trust funds .	100.00

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Total Indebtedness Payments .....	20,100.00
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### Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to County .....	4,472.71
Payments to School Districts ....	10,626.43

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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions .....	15,099.14
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Cash on hand December 31, 1947 .....	3,489.71
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Grand Total .....	\$118,466.17
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## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ALBERT W. CHENEY,  
FREDERICK S. COOK,  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Selectmen.*

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,  
*Treasurer.*

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town Hall, Lands and Buildings .....	\$5,500.00
Furniture and Equipment .....	500.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	
Furniture and Equipment .....	750.00
Lands and Buildings, Memorial Hall .....	1,500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings .....	2,200.00
Equipment .....	8,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings ....	600.00
Equipment .....	9,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings .....	11,000.00
Equipment .....	500.00
9 lots Park 10 .....	50.00
6 lots Block H, Park 10 .....	120.00
1 lot Mountain Brook .....	30.00
12 acres D. Hart land .....	25.00
24 acres Lewis Meadow .....	25.00
250 acres Mountain lots 63, 73, 12 .....	250.00
95 acres Stone place balance .....	600.00
60 acres Rowe Farm .....	300.00
90 acres Lemire lot .....	200.00
100 acres Bailey lot .....	200.00
79 acres Nancy Farmer farm .....	500.00
Total .....	\$31,950.00





# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations	Receipts Refunds	Total	Expended	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers Salaries .....	\$1,800.00	.....	\$1,800.00	\$1,708.75	\$91.25	.....
Town Officers Expenses .....	400.00	.....	400.00	374.47	25.53	.....
Election and Registration .....	150.00	.....	150.00	78.50	71.50	.....
Insurance and Bonds .....	575.00	.....	575.00	587.18	.....	12.18
Town Hall and Office Building .....	200.00	.....	200.00	187.29	12.71	.....
Police Department .....	150.00	.....	150.00	105.59	44.41	.....
Fire Department .....	400.00	.....	400.00	267.93	132.07	.....
Forest Fires .....	200.00	44,919.03	45,119.03	54,346.92	.....	9,227.89
Health Department .....	200.00	.....	200.00	64.50	135.50	.....
Vital Statistics .....	10.00	.....	10.00	1.50	8.50	.....
Town Dumps .....	300.00	.....	300.00	137.30	162.70	.....
Town Maintenance .....	6,500.00	1,541.51	8,041.51	9,762.47	.....	1,720.96
Street Lighting .....	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	1,298.49	.....	98.49
General Expense of Highway Dept. ....	500.00	.....	500.00	553.07	.....	53.07
Town Road Aid .....	599.71	.....	599.71	599.71	.....	.....
Permanent Improvement .....	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	1,543.12	.....	343.12
Libraries .....	200.00	.....	200.00	190.20	9.80	.....
Town Poor .....	400.00	.....	400.00	96.25	303.75	.....

Old Age Assistance .....	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	786.35	413.65	.....
Cemeteries .....	500.00	106.30	606.30	541.43	64.87	.....
Damage and Legal Expense .....	300.00	.....	300.00	.....	300.00	.....
Advertising and Regional Association ..	525.00	.....	525.00	525.00	.....	.....
Clarence L. Hay .....	500.00	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....
Painting Town Hall .....	500.00	.....	500.00	491.65	8.35	.....
Town Reports .....	225.00	.....	225.00	214.60	10.40	.....
Kings Daughters .....	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....
Fire Station at Blodgett's .....	100.00	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
Dry Hydrant .....	300.00	.....	300.00	346.33	.....	46.33
New London Hospital .....	300.00	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....
Pumps, hose & nozzles .....	1,240.00	.....	1,240.00	1,240.00	.....	.....
Interest .....	159.00	.....	159.00	147.44	11.56	.....
County tax .....	4,472.71	.....	4,472.71	4,472.71	.....	.....
	<u>\$26,806.42</u>	<u>\$46,566.84</u>	<u>\$73,373.26</u>	<u>\$83,068.75</u>	<u>\$1,806.55</u>	<u>\$11,502.04</u>

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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### Inventory of Town Property, 1947

Real Estate .....	\$1,251,311.00
Growing Wood and Timber .....	37,890.00
Distribution Lines .....	29,802.00
20 horses .....	1,825.00
33 cows .....	3,055.00
14 neat stock .....	1,090.00
16 sheep .....	190.00
2,785 fowls .....	2,785.00
3 portable mills .....	7,000.00
77 boats — launches .....	14,980.00
Wood and Lumber not stock in trade .....	54,540.00
Gasoline Pumps .....	1,755.00
Stock in trade .....	6,330.00
Wharves .....	2,700.00
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	\$1,400,838.00
Soldier's exemption .....	\$14,415.00
188 Poll taxes at \$2.00 .....	376.00
Property tax assessed .....	36,648.54
Added Poll tax .....	12.00
Added Property tax .....	17.03
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	\$37,053.57

Tax rate, \$26.20 per \$1,000.00

ALBERT W. CHENEY,  
FREDERICK S. COOK,  
JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Selectmen.*



## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Received for permits for registration of Motor Vehicles:

From January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947.

1946 Permits .....	\$22.51
1947 Permits .....	818.05
1948 Permits .....	4.55

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Paid Treasurer .....	\$845.11
Overpayment .....	3.17

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Total permits paid Treasurer .....	\$848.28
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Received from Dog Licenses:

Number of Female Dogs, 6 at	
\$5.00 .....	\$30.00
Number of Spayed Female Dogs, 13	
at \$2.00 .....	26.00
Number of Male Dogs, 30 at \$2.00	60.00
One Army Dog, Asiatic Service ..	.....

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Paid Treasurer .....	\$116.00
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Total Dog Licenses paid Treasurer .....	\$116.00
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Received from Filing Fees .....	\$11.00
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Total Filing Fees paid Treasurer .....	\$11.00
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Total .....	\$975.28
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Less overpayment as shown above, received	
from Treasurer .....	\$3.17

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Grand Total .....	\$972.11
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Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. BERGLUND,  
*Town Clerk.*

Jan. 19, 1948.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of December 31, 1947

*Dr.*

Tax Sale on account of Levy of:

	1946	1945
Taxes Sold to Town During Current		
Fiscal Year .....	\$29.97	
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes		
January 1, 1947 .....		\$30.22
Interest Collected After Sale .....		.77
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Total Debits .....	\$29.97	\$30.99
<i>Cr.</i>		
Remittances to Treasurer During		
Year .....		\$26.77
Unredeemed Taxes at Close of Year	\$29.97	4.22
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Total Credits .....	\$29.97	\$30.99

### UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1946	1945
Clemmie E. Frost .....		\$4.22
Willie H. Rollins .....	\$11.17	
Frank Gross Co. ....	15.41	
Clayton R. Ditty .....	3.39	
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	\$29.97	\$4.22

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1947, on account of the tax levy of 1945 and 1946, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,

*Collector of Taxes.*

## COLLECTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

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All persons interested in the following tracts of land in the town of Newbury in the County of Merrimack are notified that the same are taxed in the tax-list committed to the subscriber, who is collector of taxes for said town for the year 1946, as follows:

Date of Sale: September 27, 1947. Year of Levy: 1946				
	Taxes	Int.	Costs	Total
Willie H. Rollins				
19 Acres Homeplace & Leach				
land .....	9.28	.62	1.27	11.17
Purchaser, Town of Newbury,				
N. H. (for $\frac{1}{4}$ of property)				
Frank Gross Co.				
Building on Railroad and				
Perkins Property .....				
	13.25	.89	1.27	15.41
Purchaser, Town of Newbury,				
N. H.				
Clayton R. Ditty				
2 Camps located on Merle				
Rich Property .....				
	1.99	.13	1.27	3.39
Purchaser, Town of Newbury,				
N. H.				

And if no person shall appear to discharge said tax on or before the 27th day of September next at 2:00 in the afternoon, I shall then proceed to sell, at the office of Selectmen in said town, at auction, so much of said real estate owned by each delinquent respectively, as will be sufficient to discharge said taxes, and all incidental charges against such person.

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

Newbury, N. H., August 30, 1947

The personally appeared, Merle A. Webberson, Collector,  
and made oath that the foregoing statement signed by him  
is true.

GEORGE WALTER BERGLUND,  
*Notary Public.*

Newbury, N. H., August 30, 1947



## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### Levy of 1946

*Dr.*

Uncollected Taxes as of March 29, 1947:

Property Taxes .....	\$567.56	
Poll Taxes — Regular at \$2.00 ...	22.00	
		\$589.56
Interest collected During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1947 .....		28.99
Total Debits .....		\$618.55

*Cr.*

Remittances to Treasurer During  
Fiscal Year Ended December  
31, 1947

Property Taxes .....	\$556.42	
Poll Taxes .....	12.00	
Interest Collected .....	28.99	
Abatements made during year ...	19.14	
Uncollected as per collector's list .	2.00	
Total Credits .....		\$618.55

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1947

*Dr.*

### Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes .....	\$36,648.74
Poll Taxes, Regular at \$2.00 .....	376.00
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Total Warrant .....	\$37,024.74

### Added Taxes:

Property Taxes .....	\$17.03
Poll Taxes, Regular at \$2.00 .....	16.00
Interest Collected .....	2.84
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Total Debits .....	\$37,060.61

*Cr.*

Remittances to Treasurer ..... \$34,493.00

### Abatements:

Property Tax .....	188.71
Poll Tax .....	14.00

### Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes .....	2,322.90
Poll Taxes, Regular at \$2.00 .....	42.00
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Total Credits .....	\$37,060.61

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

## ABATEMENTS

### 1946 Property—

Stimpson Taylor, Removed from town .....	\$3.98
John E. Ward, Deceased .....	1.86
Herman Barton, Removed from town .....	5.30

### 1946 Poll—

James McCoole, Left Town .....	2.00
Clarence Woodworth, Over 70 Years .....	2.00
Ernest I. Brown, Over 70 Years .....	2.00
Dora F. Bourgeau, Left Town .....	2.00
	\$19.14

### 1947 Property—

William O. Brown, Soldiers' Exemption ....	\$26.00
Joseph Horton, Soldiers' Exemption .....	26.20
Wm. F. & Constance Tracy, Soldiers' Ex- emption .....	2.62
Louis & Laurentia Tardiff, Error of Transfer Card .....	17.03
Upton & Whitcomb, Overvaluation .....	75.98
Sunapee Lake Grange, An Educational Society	36.68

### 1947 Poll—

John H. Gillingham, Over 70 Years .....	2.00
James McCoole, Left Town .....	2.00
Virginia Theil, Left Town .....	2.00
Clarence Woodworth, Over 70 Years .....	2.00
Theodore Wolff, Left Town .....	2.00
Dorothy Wolf, Left Town .....	2.00
George Symonds, Over 70 Years .....	2.00

August Honor, Deceased .....	2.00
Theodore O. Kuester, Soldiers' Exemption ..	2.00

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\$202.71

ALBERT W. CHENEY,  
 FREDERICK S. COOK,  
 JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Selectmen of Newbury, N. H.*

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*



## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1947

### UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

*George H. Ayer .....	\$14.52
*Mark P. Ayer .....	11.94
*George & Mark Ayer .....	6.02
*Oscar A. Colburn .....	6.16
William H. Davis .....	.55
James R. & Marie McCoole .....	91.70
Heirs of Abram H. Sherman .....	10.48
Stephen Story .....	91.70
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	\$233.07

December 31, 1947

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

Levy of 1947

### UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

*Heirs of Carrie O. Andrews .....	\$21.62
Inabelle B. Aldrich .....	2.62
Harry F. & Vera Blake .....	.10
Heirs of Samuel L. Babcock .....	26.20
*Clarence Bigalow .....	13.10
Helen H. Barron .....	36.68

Bernice R. Bushway .....	26.20
Leon D. Black .....	10.48
Douglas D. & Virginia Cayea .....	15.72
*William B. Connors .....	1.83
Heirs of Mary L. Carr .....	2.36
Harold L. Craig .....	1.44
Luke T. Cheney .....	31.44
Paul Coleman .....	10.48
Newbury Reservoir .....	10.48
*City Lumber Company .....	595.79
Ira E. & Georgia Davis .....	6.55
*Fred S. Douglas .....	15.72
Haskell Dearborn .....	2.62
George Dearborn .....	7.86
Roy Haskell .....	7.86
*Phillip Davis & Collister Corkish .....	44.54
*Carroll H. & Julia F. Dow .....	26.20
Robert W. Eastwood .....	10.48
Harry J. Emmons .....	2.62
*Earl & Carolyn L. Edwinston .....	20.96
Heirs of George L. Flanders .....	5.24
Frank & Annie L. Fortune .....	1.97
John Fortune .....	13.10
*Mrs. Charles A. Feagles .....	104.80
*N. J. Greenwood .....	44.54
*Robert W. Griggs .....	7.86
*Bertha M. Howard .....	70.74
*Harry J. & Elizabeth B. Houghton .....	15.72
Eldred F. Hodge .....	47.16
Alice Kelley .....	62.88
Albert Lake .....	2.62
Louis B. Metzger & George A. Prior .....	31.44
*John E. Marshall .....	38.51
*Herbert S. Mould .....	18.34
Dr. Thomas J. Moore .....	9.17
Alice King Osgood .....	5.24
Clifford H. Perkins .....	34.06

Galen E. & Doris B. Putnam .....	17.03
Mrs. Erwin Pickwell .....	37.34
*Samuel T. Rumrill .....	13.10
Ernest Rollins .....	5.24
Dorothy Reed .....	83.84
Mary A. Sage .....	14.41
Marguerite Stevens .....	99.56
*Frank Steinfield .....	167.68
Molly Shultis .....	91.70
*Homer J. Sawtelle .....	22.27
Frank Touchette .....	13.10
*H. Louis & Laurentia Tardiff .....	15.72
William J. Wheatley .....	23.58
Wm. Prescott Garnett .....	.79
Heirs of A. A. Burnham .....	2.10
Durward & Avis Hardy .....	17.03
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Non-Resident Total .....	\$2,089.83

December 31, 1947

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

\* Indicates having been paid since December 31, 1947

## UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES

### Levy of 1947

*George H. Ayer .....	\$2.00
*Mark P. Ayer .....	2.00
Frank Bushway .....	2.00
Leon Bushway .....	2.00
Walter J. Barton .....	2.00
Jessie H. Barton .....	2.00
*Helen C. Colburn .....	2.00

*Oscar A. Colburn .....	2.00
Alice Cilley .....	2.00
*Blanche Clark .....	2.00
*David Grossett .....	2.00
*Harriett Grossett .....	2.00
Hawes B. Hallett .....	2.00
Marguerite Hallett .....	2.00
Violet A. Jones .....	2.00
Alice E. Leach .....	2.00
*Elin K. Rollins .....	2.00
Louis Watso .....	2.00
Gertrude Wood .....	2.00
John E. Ward Jr. ....	2.00
Jean Rossman .....	2.00
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	\$42.00

December 31, 1947

MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

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### UNCOLLECTED POLL TAX

Levy of 1946

*Blanche Clark .....	\$2.00
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MERLE A. WEBBERSON,  
*Collector of Taxes.*

\* Indicates having been paid since December 31, 1947.



## TREASURER'S REPORT

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### RECEIPTS

Balance cash on hand, January 1, 1947 ..... \$3,743.76

From State of New Hampshire:

Forest Fires .....	\$44,578.74
Plowing snow .....	1,191.00
Bounties .....	42.50
Savings Bank tax .....	235.19
Railroad tax .....	35.55
Interest & Dividend Tax .....	155.34

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46,238.32

From Town Clerk:

Auto Permits .....	\$848.28
Dog licenses .....	116.00
Filing fees .....	11.00

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975.28

From National State Capital Bank:

Borrowed money .....	\$30,000.00
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30,000.00

From Trustee of Trust Funds:

Post War Fund .....	\$3,500.00
Labor on Cemetery Lots .....	106.30

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\$3,606.30

From Selectmen:	
George Gillingham & Elma Loverin trust fund .....	\$100.00
Pistol permits .....	1.50
From Arthur Phinney:	
On real estate account .....	300.00
From Overseer of Poor:	
Poor off farm .....	299.58
From Newbury Fire Department:	
Damage to lantern .....	5.00
From William P. Eaton:	
Damage to Lawn mower .....	18.00
From Ralph W. Shaw, chief of police:	
Police work .....	\$9.00
Dance permits .....	.75
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	9.75
From William P. Eaton:	
Rent of Town Hall .....	5.00
From Boston & Maine R. E. Co.:	
Forest fires .....	54.15
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	\$792.98
From Highway Department, Merton E. Perkins, Road Agent:	
Plowing snow for Bradford .....	\$79.30
Cement work for D. Preble .....	24.80
Gravel for Francis Walters .....	6.00

Chloride for Mrs. Booth .....	1.25
Labor for School District .....	11.20
Transportation to Washington Fire .....	5.40
Lumber for M. Perkins .....	2.00
Tar for Frank P. Felton .....	65.00
Ted Kuster, Use of cement mixer	21.20
Labor Dry Hydrant .....	52.80

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\$268.95

#### REFUNDS

Federal tax on town truck .....	\$84.07
Overpayment of dog tax to School District .....	60.00
Town of Washington, forest fire ...	297.00
Insurance premium .....	3.29
From Sunapee Lake Grange, payment on drainage .....	25.00
Checks outstanding over six months, old and credited to town .....	2.35

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\$471.71

Received from Joseph Horton Tax Collector:

Tax list 1946, Property tax .....	\$678.91
Poll tax .....	16.00
Added tax .....	26.50
Interest on taxes .....	9.33

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\$730.74

Received from Merle A. Webberson, Tax Collector :

Tax list 1946, Property tax .....	\$582.42
Poll taxes .....	12.00
Advertised tax sales costs .....	11.43
Interest on taxes .....	28.99

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\$634.84

Tax List 1947, Property taxes .....	\$34,158.16
Poll taxes .....	332.00
Interest on taxes .....	2.84

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\$34,493.00

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Total Receipts .....	\$121,955.88
Payments on Selectmen's orders .....	118,466.17

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Balance December 31, 1947 ..... \$3,489.71

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,  
*Treasurer.*

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation ..... \$1,800.00

Paid :

Randolph H. Milligan, services as Auditor ...	\$15.00
James D. Bixby, services as Auditor .....	15.00
Wilfred K. Rollins, services as Auditor .....	15.00
Albert W. Cheney, services as Selectman ....	375.00
Frederick S. Cook, services as Selectman ....	375.00
John H. Gillingham, services as Selectman ...	375.00
George W. Berglund, services as Town Clerk	143.75
Merle A. Webberson, services as Tax Collector	225.00
Shirley R. Powers, services as Treasurer ....	150.00
Merton E. Perkins, services as Road Agent ..	20.00
	\$1,708.75

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation ..... \$400.00

Paid :

Ernestine S. Merrill, stenciling 200 warrants .	\$2.00
Martha G. Blake, typing and addressing town reports .....	40.00
Association N. H. Assessors, dues .....	2.00
Joseph Horton, making 4 tax deeds .....	4.00
Alice P. J. Bixby, postage stamps .....	22.47
Grace Berglund, postage stamps .....	11.21
Bernice M. S. MacWilliams, reporting estates	.20
Katherine A. Crowley, reporting conveyances	30.29
Katherine A. Crowley, reporting estates .....	.40
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies for Town Clerk .....	2.55
Brown & Saltmarsh Inc., supplies for office ..	46.34



Merle A. Webberson, postage stamps & Collectors Asso. dues .....	30.00
Katherine A. Crowley, recording 6 deeds ....	8.02
Brown & Saltmarsh Inc., 1000 envelopes ....	7.50
John H. Gillingham, expenses as Selectman ..	63.05
Sargent Brothers, tax bills & envelopes .....	17.90
City & Town Clerks Asso., annual dues .....	2.00
The Mosler Safe Co., repairing Town Clerk's safe .....	13.50
Ernestine S. Merrill, expenses as Treasurer of Trust Funds .....	25.00
Albert W. Cheney, expenses as Selectman ...	7.40
George W. Berglund, expenses as Town Clerk	12.70
Shirley R. Powers, postage as Treasurer .....	2.39
Shirley R. Powers, treasurer's bank service charge .....	12.80
The Argus Press, printing 250 ballots .....	8.50
Merle A. Webberson, expenses of tax sale ...	2.75
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	\$374.47

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation ..... \$150.00

Paid :

Randolph H. Milligan, services as Moderator	\$6.00
George E. Purple, services as Supervisor ....	10.00
Ernestine S. Merrill, services as Supervisor ..	20.00
Moses H. Bly, services as Supervisor .....	12.50
William P. Eaton, services as Supervisor ....	10.00
Merton E. Perkins, services as Ballot Clerk ..	5.00
Milford Newell, services as Ballot Clerk .....	5.00
Roger D. Shaw, services as Ballot Clerk .....	5.00
Harold P. Eaton, services as Ballot Clerk ....	5.00
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	\$78.50

## TOWN HALL

Appropriation ..... \$200.00

### Paid:

Merrimack County Telephone Company, telephone for office .....	\$30.05
Vernon F. Hall, sawing wood .....	6.00
Forestry & Recreation Dept. 1½ cords wood .....	12.00
Ralph W. Shaw, material and labor .....	61.39
Lester F. Hall, labor .....	15.50
Public Service Co., lights for Town Hall and Office building .....	14.00
Public Service Co., lights for Memorial Hall ..	7.00
William P. Eaton, janitor service .....	41.35
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	\$187.29

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$150.00

### Paid:

Ralph W. Shaw, services as Chief .....	\$25.00
Arthur D. Raymond, police work at Blodgett's .....	9.00
Ralph W. Shaw, police work .....	43.94
Ralph W. Shaw, ½ of telephone rent .....	12.75
Lake Sunapee Trading Co., feeding tramps ..	5.10
Mrs. Jim's Lunch, feeding tramps for two years .....	9.80
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	\$105.59

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$400.00

### Paid:

O. A. Ranta, supplies .....	\$12.95
Richard Chambers, hose clamps .....	4.75

George Croteau, gas and oil .....	3.60
George Croteau, battery .....	26.65
Richard Chambers, cellar nozzle .....	13.50
George Croteau, janitor service .....	60.00
George Croteau, telephone bill .....	5.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone bill	7.03
C. A. Danforth & Co., 892 gallons range oil ..	109.07
Public Service Co., lights .....	24.88
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	\$267.93

## LIBRARIES

Appropriation .....	\$200.00
Paid:	
The Readers Digest Asso., 2 subscriptions ...	\$5.00
Caroline Stoughton Book Shop, books .....	74.17
Mertie M. Rowe, salary as Librarian .....	25.00
Etta A. Spaulding, salary as Librarian .....	25.00
Ernestine S. Merrill, books for libraries .....	61.03
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	\$190.20

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation .....	\$1,200.00
Paid:	
State Treasurer, town's share .....	\$763.20
Harold P. Eaton, overseer's bill .....	23.15
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	\$786.35

## TOWN POOR

Appropriation ..... \$400.00

### Paid:

Herbert Messinger, surgery for 1946 aid ....	\$54.00
Arthur F. Wright, surgery for 1946 aid .....	32.25
Alfred E. Sears, surgery, for 1946 aid .....	10.00
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	\$96.25

## COUNTY POOR

Appropriation .... .

### Paid:

Lake Sunapee Trading Co. ....	\$279.17
City Lumber Co., 2 cords wood .....	24.00
Harold P. Eaton, services as Overseer of Poor	26.92
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	\$330.09

## TOWN WHARF

Appropriation .... .

### Paid:

Ralph W. Shaw, repairs on town wharf ....	\$37.99
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## BOUNTIES

Appropriation .... .

### Paid:

Albert W. Cheney, 139 hedgehog heads ....	\$69.50
Frederick S. Cook, 90 hedgehog heads .....	45.00
John H. Gillingham, 25 hedgehog heads ....	12.50
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	\$127.00

## DAMAGE BY DOGS

Appropriation ..... ..

Paid:

Edson C. Eastman Co., dog tags .....	\$3.64
George Berglund, 50 dogs licensed at 20c each	10.00
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	\$13.64

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$200.00

Paid:

Donald Preble, services as Health Officer ....	\$14.50
American Red Cross, donation .....	50.00
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	\$64.50

## VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation ..... \$10.00

Paid:

George W. Berglund, recording .....	\$1.50
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## STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation ..... \$1,200.00

Paid:

Public Service Company, lights .....	\$1,298.49
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## INSURANCE AND BONDS

Appropriation ..... \$575.00



Paid:

Eastman & Merrill, fireman's insurance ....	\$120.00
Eastman & Merrill, liability insurance .....	26.45
Eastman & Merrill, workmen's compensation	138.93
Eastman & Merrill, collector's bonds .....	30.00
Eastman & Merrill, balance town officer's bonds .....	63.00
Eastman & Merrill, workmen's compensation audit .....	208.80
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	\$587.18

### APPROPRIATIONS

Appropriations ..... ..

Paid:

Clarke Press, printing 620 town reports .....	\$214.60
King's Daughters, deed of lot and Hall .....	1,500.00
New London Hospital, hospital appropriation	300.00
Treasurer, Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region .	125.00
Clarence L. Hay, 79 acres Nancy Farmer farm	500.00
Painting Town Hall, appropriation \$500.00	
Paid James McSwain, painting .....	491.65
Balance in treasurer's account ..	8.35
Advertising and Publicity, appro- priation .....	\$400.00
Paid George W. Berglund, for information booth .....	200.00
Paid Sunapee Fish and Game Club, fish ...	200.00
Maxim Motor, 2 portable pumps ..	\$1,140.00
O. A. Ranta, 2 fog nozzles .....	100.00
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	1,240.00
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	\$4,771.25

## FIRE STATION AT BLODGETT'S

Appropriation ..... \$100.00

### Paid:

Merton E. Perkins ..... \$100.00

## DRY HYDRANT

Appropriation ..... \$300.00

### Paid:

Page Belting Co., adapters .....	\$49.60
Bradford Garage, welding .....	29.00
Merton E. Perkins, trucking gravel .....	52.80
Lester Hall, labor .....	82.25
Ralph W. Shaw, material and labor .....	105.28
George Carlson, labor .....	17.75
F. E. Newcomb, supplies .....	9.65

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\$346.33

## T. R. A.

Appropriation ..... \$599.71

### Paid:

State Treasurer ..... \$599.71

## CEMETERIES

Appropriation ..... \$500.00

Received from Treasurer of Trust

Funds, perpetual care of trust lots 106.30

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606.30

Paid:		
William P. Eaton, labor on cemeteries .....	541.43	
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Balance in Treasurer's hands .....	\$64.87	

#### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Appropriation .....		
Paid:		
1946 taxes bought by town .....	\$30.57	
1947 taxes on property bought by town .....	21.62	
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	\$52.19	

#### REFUNDS

Appropriation .....		
Paid:		
Treasurer of Trust Funds, Anna Holbrook, Gillingham & Lovering cemetery lots .....	\$100.00	
Shirley R. Powers, auto permits rebate .....	18.25	
Merle A. Webberson, overpaid on taxes .....	3.66	
George W. Berglund, overpaid on Auto permits .....	3.17	
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	\$125.08	

#### TOWN MAINTENANCE

Appropriation .....	\$6,500.00	
Paid:		
Merton E. Perkins, maintenance .....	\$9,416.31	
Collector Internal Revenue, withholding tax ..	346.16	
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	\$9,762.47	
Refunds as Credits .....	\$1,541.51	
Appropriation .....	6,500.00	
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	8,041.51	
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Overdraft .....	\$1,720.96	

# GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Appropriation ..... \$500.00

## Paid :

Merton E. Perkins, repairs on tractor .....	\$381.75
Roy A. Messer, insurance .....	171.32
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	\$553.07

## DUMPS

Appropriation ..... \$300.00

## Paid :

John H. Gillingham, labor .....	\$18.00
Vinzey Fortune, labor with bulldozer .....	37.00
George A. Snow, rent of land for dump .....	15.00
Frank W. Whitcomb, labor with bulldozer ...	10.50
Shirley R. Powers, rent of land for dump ....	15.00
Paul Berglund, emptying refuse barrels .....	10.00
Merton E. Perkins, burning dumps .....	31.80
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	\$137.30

## INTEREST

Appropriation ..... \$159.00

## Paid :

Alice P. J. Bixby, 1/2 of Parsonage fund .....	\$12.00
Etta A. Spaulding, 1/2 of Parsonage fund ....	12.00
Loan Trust Savings Bank, interest on loan ..	123.44
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	\$147.44

## PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT

Appropriation ..... \$1,200.00

### Paid:

Merton E. Perkins .....	\$1,455.72
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	87.40
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	\$1,543.12

## NEW TRUCK

Received from Ernestine S. Merrill,  
from Post War Fund ..... \$3,500.00

### Paid:

Mack Motor Company, new truck ..... \$4,085.00

## TEMPORARY LOANS

Received from Loan & Trust	
Savings Bank .....	\$12,000.00
Received from Loan & Trust	
Savings Bank .....	8,000.00
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	\$20,000.00

### Paid:

Loan & Trust Savings Bank ..... \$20,000.00

## COUNTY TAX

Appropriation ..... \$4,472.71

### Paid:

County Treasurer ..... \$4,472.71



## SCHOOL DISTRICT

Appropriation ..... \$12,464.80

### Paid:

School District, balance 1946 appropriation ..	\$3,000.00
School District, 1946 Dog Tax .....	161.63
School District, on 1947 appropriation .....	7,464.80
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	\$10,626.43

Refund from School District, over	
paid on dog tax .....	\$60.00

## FOREST FIRE

Appropriation ..... \$200.00

### Paid:

Railroad fires .....	\$55.50
Fire by lightning at Moore's .....	7.35
Fire at Washington .....	297.00
Wardens' bill to June 30 .....	18.00
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	\$377.85

Received from Railroad	\$54.15
Received from Washington	297.00
Received from State .....	12.68
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	\$363.83

## SUNAPEE MOUNTAIN FIRE

### Paid:

Newbury residents .....	\$5,241.11
Out of town men paid by Newbury	990.73
Town of Enfield, paid individually	
by Newbury .....	2,406.41

Town of Enfield .....	29.40
Town of Epsom, paid by Newbury individually .....	585.10
Town of Alexandria .....	109.80
Town of Andover .....	2,863.30
Town of Belmont .....	150.20
Town of Canaan .....	840.47
Town of Grantham .....	192.00
Town of Claremont .....	2,373.75
Town of Hillsboro .....	925.40
Town of Hopkinton .....	1,822.05
Town of Lempster .....	673.50
Town of Lyme .....	222.80
Town of New Hampton .....	310.40
Town of Newport .....	2,205.85
Town of Plainfield .....	187.85
Town of Sutton .....	592.14
Town of Tilton .....	671.15
Town of Warner .....	1,068.10
Town of Webster .....	830.54
Town of Boscawen .....	939.94
Town of New London .....	2,447.00
Town of Bradford .....	2,853.59
Town of Northfield .....	704.65
Town of Henniker .....	2,576.68
Town of Bow .....	2,061.08
Town of Cornish .....	193.00
Town of Franklin .....	416.00
Town of Gilford .....	53.60
Town of Goshen .....	59.70
Town of Lebanon .....	583.90
Town of Loudon .....	96.30
Town of Marlow .....	407.38
Town of Pittsfield .....	48.00
Town of Pembroke .....	784.90
Town of Sunapee .....	880.00
Town of Salisbury .....	308.10

Town of Washington .....	815.78	
John A. Rand, Deputy Warden of Hanover, Dartmouth Outing Club .....	12,455.22	
Forestry Department, fire tools ..	7.20	
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		\$53,969.07
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		\$54,346.92
Received from the State on Sunapee Mountain fire .....	\$44,542.52	

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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### Received from Selectmen:

Town Maintenance .....	\$9,798.06
Permanent Improvement .....	1,455.72
Blodgett's Fire House appropriation .....	100.00
Town Dumps .....	31.80
Use of Truck and Gas, forest fire .....	125.19
Balance on hand January 1, 1947 .....	242.81
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	\$11,753.58

### PAYMENTS

Permanent Improvement .....	\$1,543.12
Town Maintenance:	
Winter account .....	5,711.24
Summer account .....	4,626.10
Service charge and check book .....	25.71
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	\$11,906.17
Withholding tax paid by Town .....	433.56
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	\$11,472.61
Balance on hand December 31, 1947 .....	280.97
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	\$11,753.58

MERTON E. PERKINS,  
*Road Agent.*

## APPROPRIATIONS

Town Maintenance .....	\$6,500.00
Plowing Snow .....	1,541.51
Use of truck and gas forest fire ....	\$8.00
	37.19

	125.19
Received Tractor account .....	381.75

\$8,548.45

### Town Maintenance:

Winter Account .....	\$5,711.24
Summer Account .....	4,626.10
Service charge .....	25.71

\$10,363.05

Town Maintenance .....	\$10,363.05
Appropriations .....	8,548.45

	\$1,814.60
Overdraft T. R. A. ....	352.68

Over Town Maintenance .....	\$1,461.92
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*Road Agent.*

## WINTER ACCOUNT 1947

Merton E. Perkins .....	\$934.78
Harry Ring .....	507.19
Harold Eaton .....	130.20
J. Hiram Mitchell .....	311.50
Ralph Shaw .....	181.50
Lewis Ansart .....	320.10
Edward Ring .....	334.90
George Allen .....	8.40



Donald Preble .....	4.90
Harold Palmer .....	48.60
Milford Newell .....	91.10
Merle Rich Jr. ....	168.50
Carlton Hall .....	256.80
Lester Hall .....	84.00
John Croteau .....	31.20
Frank Felton .....	10.40
George Wise .....	19.20
Roy Parsons .....	53.60
George Croteau .....	564.57
Mack Motor Co. ....	117.78
Bradford Garage .....	428.71
C. A. Harrington .....	20.95
Fairbanks Garage .....	80.71
R. C. Hazelton .....	500.35
Lake Sunapee Trading Co. ....	17.54
Bellevue Sales Co. ....	55.06
George Carlson .....	18.90
Ray Road Equipment .....	18.00
Dyar Sales .....	9.75
Cassellini-Venable Corporation .....	381.75
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	\$5,711.24
Tax .....	182.50
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	\$5,528.74

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*Road Agent.*

#### SUMMER ACCOUNT

Merton Perkins .....	\$694.60
Carlton Hall .....	151.10
Harold Folsom .....	106.40
Hiram Mitchell .....	32.80
Harry Ring .....	450.40
Frank Colburn .....	124.80

Merle Rich Jr. ....	539.30
Edward Ring ....	344.60
Dominic Digilio ....	71.40
James Newell ....	201.00
Milford Newell ....	90.90
John Croteau ....	3.20
Dominic Digilio Jr. ....	22.90
John Fortune ....	22.50
R. H. Milligan ....	252.54
Newton Shultis ....	37.50
Lake Sunapee Trading Co. ....	16.49
C. A. Harrington ....	1.85
N. E. Metal Culvert Co. ....	62.50
Cressy & Williams ....	32.70
Clarence Perry ....	3.17
N. H. Explosive ....	88.02
Merrimack Exchange ....	2.90
Phinney Repair shop ....	83.26
Newbury Garage ....	15.60
City Lumber Co. ....	3.90
Bradford Garage ....	237.45
Bellevue Sales Co. ....	26.62
Public Service Co. ....	16.28
Fairbanks Garage ....	6.14
Railway Express ....	5.87
Arthur Phinney ....	78.75
John Gillingham ....	11.25
State T. R. A. ....	352.68
Merrimack Exchange ....	54.94
George Croteau ....	388.79
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	\$4,626.10
Tax .....	163.66
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	\$4,462.44

MERTON E. PERKINS,  
*Road Agent.*

# PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT

Merton E. Perkins .....	\$246.82
Harry Ring .....	165.30
Edward Ring .....	200.50
Merle Rich Jr. ....	131.70
Milford Newell .....	191.70
James Newell .....	165.30
Frank Colburn .....	194.90
Vinzey Fortune .....	80.00
George Croteau .....	34.90
John Croteau .....	4.00
Hiram Mitchell .....	8.00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co. ....	120.00
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	\$1,543.12
Tax paid by town .....	87.40
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	\$1,455.72
Total Spent .....	\$1,543.12
Appropriation .....	1,200.00
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Overdraft .....	\$343.12

MERTON E. PERKINS,  
*Road Agent.*

T. R. A.

Merton E. Perkins .....	\$382.00
Merle Rich Jr. ....	288.00
Frank Colburn .....	295.20
Carlton Hall .....	212.20
Harry Ring .....	56.00
Edward Ring .....	72.00
Milford Newell .....	48.80
Hiram Mitchell .....	32.00
Harold Folsom .....	108.00

James Newell .....	221.60
Howard Bickford, grader operator .....	55.00
Leonard Boomhower, truck .....	57.60
Alvin Currier, truck .....	57.60
Clarence Ford, truck .....	57.60
Guy Huckins, truck .....	57.60
Wiley Woodward, truck .....	57.60
Rolland Fontaine, truck .....	57.60
Howard Atward, truck .....	57.60
Raymond Tucker, truck .....	57.60
Frederick Guild, truck .....	57.60
William Foster, truck .....	57.60
George Houle, truck .....	57.60
Paul Jurta Jr., truck .....	57.60
Tar .....	441.31

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\$2,909.90

State Garage:

Grader and moving shovel .....	441.31
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\$3,351.21

MERTON E. PERKINS,  
*Road Agent.*

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

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Newbury, N. H., January 12, 1948

We, the auditors of the Town of Newbury, have this day audited the books of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Road Agent, Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Trustees of Trust Funds for 1947, cast their figures, compared their vouchers and found the same correct.

JAMES D. BIXBY,  
RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,  
WILFRED K. ROLLINS,  
*Auditors.*

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Newbury, N. H., on December 31, 1947

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Begin- ning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Oct. 2, 1903	Martha Hastings, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	23.12	.46	...	23.58
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	\$100.00	2 1/2%	4.25	2.50	5.60	1.15
Feb. 15, 1911	Hattie B. Colby, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank	8.76	2	29.85	.76	2.57	28.04
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2%	1.77	1.26	3.03	...
Feb. 15, 1911	N. P. Blodgett, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	24.42	.48	2.57	22.33
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2%	1.77	1.26	3.03	...
Feb. 15, 1911	Joseph Bean, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	61.42	1.52	...	62.94
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	175.00	2 1/2%	7.97	4.36	7.20	5.13
Feb. 15, 1915	Eliza A. Merrill, lot So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	38.96	.76	...	39.72
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 1/2%	8.75	5.00	.80	12.05
Feb. 15, 1916	Lottie Morse, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	4.57	1.08	...	4.65
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2%	1.27	1.26	.50	2.03
Feb. 15, 1916	Alice Sanborn, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	29.14	.58	...	29.72
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2%	3.75	2.50	3.20	3.05
May 15, 1916	I. F. Blodgett, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	5.43	.10	4.32	1.21
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2%	2.02	1.26	3.28	...
May 15, 1916	Sarah B. Cilley, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	94.10	1.88	...	95.98
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	500.00	2 1/2%	14.80	12.50	8.00	19.30
July 17, 1917	Wm. F. Thissell, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	23.43	.46	...	23.89
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2%	4.25	2.50	6.40	.35
July 17, 1917	E. H. Messer, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	5.63	.10	...	5.73
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2%	3.75	2.50	2.40	3.85
July 17, 1917	H. B. Cheney, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	28.49	.53	2.50	26.52
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2%	2.00	2.50	3.20	1.30
July 20, 1925	James W. Bean, lot in Bean Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	8.01	.16	...	8.17
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2%	4.25	2.50	6.40	.35
Dec. 31, 1926	Etta Blodgett, lot in Newbury Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	76.83	1.52	...	78.35
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 1/2%	7.05	5.00	5.60	6.45
Dec. 31, 1927	Louisa Rowe, lot in Newbury Cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank		2	71.15	1.42	...	72.57
		U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	200.00	2 1/2%	7.05	5.00	5.60	6.45



Jan.	31, 1931	Melissa Bean and Henry Foster, lot in So. Newbury Cemetery .....	New Hampshire Savings Bank U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	11.44 3.75	.22 2.50	.... 3.20	11.66 3.05
Jan.	31, 1931	Etta Whedon, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	75.00	2 1/2 %	2.67 2.47	.... 1.86	.... .80	2.67 3.53
Aug.	20, 1932	George E. Kidder, lot So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	50.00	2 1/2 %	3.31 1.23	.... 1.24	.... .80	3.37 1.67
June	14, 1935	Wesley E. Cilley, lot So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	2.92 3.75	.... 2.50	.... 1.60	2.92 4.65
Jan.	2, 1936	Ira Gillingham, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	New Hampshire Savings Bank U. S. Sav. Bond "Series G"	100.00	2 1/2 %	4.16 3.75	.... 2.50	.... 1.60	4.24 4.65
May	26, 1939	Rev. Jonathan Rowe, lot Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2 %	4.76	2.99	2.40	4.35
May	26, 1939	Town of Newbury, To maintain Fence in Newbury Cemetery .....	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	400.00	2 %	37.55	8.75	6.40	39.30
May	26, 1939	Harry O. Russell, lot So. Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	500.00	2 %	11.77	10.22	....	21.99
Aug.	30, 1939	Cyrus B. Leach and Thomas J. Leach, lot in Bean Cemetery .....	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	100.00	2 %	6.40	2.12	3.20	5.32
Aug.	30, 1939	Dr. Wm. Leach, lot Baker Hill Cemetery .....	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	100.00	2 %	5.25	2.10	1.60	5.75
Aug.	30, 1939	Martha M. Gilbreath, lot So. New. Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	500.00	2 %	20.36	10.40	5.60	25.16
Jan.	2, 1941	Fred Huff, lot Newbury Cemetery .....	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	50.00	2 %	2.79	1.05	1.40	2.44
Jan.	2, 1941	Edson H. Cheney, lot So. Newbury Cem.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	500.00	2 %	3.13	1.06	.80	3.39
April	19, 1946	Weston Cheney, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	Sugar River Savings Bank	300.00	2 %	14.92	6.29	6.20	15.01
Mar.	21, 1947	Elma Lovering, lot in So. Newbury Cem.	Sugar River Savings Bank	100.00	2 %	1.00	2.03	....	3.03
Mar.	21, 1947	George O. Gillingham, lot in So. Newbury Cemetery .....	Sugar River Savings Bank	50.00	2 %	....	.58	....	.58
Mar.	1945	Town of Newbury, Post War Fund ...	Sugar River Savings Bank	3,200.00	2 %	Int. 128.51	(Pd. Selectmen from Acct. \$3500) 36.29	Bal. of Int. Acct.	Int. 127.30
Feb.	1944	Town of Newbury, Post War Fund ..	U. S. Sav. Bond "Ser. G"	3,000.00	2 1/2 %	187.50	75.00	300.00	127.30
TOTALS .....				\$11,023.76	***	\$1,062.64	\$232.23	\$411.80	\$883.07

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

SHIRLEY R. POWERS,  
ERNESTINE S. MERRILL,  
MERTIE M. ROWE,  
*Trustees.*

December 31, 1947.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

### Frank Weeks:

January 1	3 hours	5 miles
January 9	3 hours	60 miles
February 10	4 hours	60 miles
February 23	1 hour	3 miles
November 2	2 hours	3 miles
December 21	2 hours	3 miles
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	15 hours	134 miles
	.80	.08
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	\$12.00	\$10.72

Postage .43

### Ross Snow:

January 1	1 hour	12 miles	
February 2	1 hour	12 miles	
March 8	1 hour	12 miles	
April 6	1 hour	12 miles	
April 11	3 hours	60 miles	County Office
May 1	1 hour	12 miles	
June 7	1 hour	12 miles	
July 9	1 hour	12 miles	
August 7	1 hour	12 miles	
October 4	1 hour	12 miles	
November 1	1 hour	12 miles	
December 9	1 hour	12 miles	
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	14 hours	192 miles	
	.80	.08	
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	\$11.20	\$15.36	

Postage .36

HAROLD P. EATON,  
*Overseer of Poor.*

## REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

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June 25, 1947. Checked boat-house at Edgemont shore and found no toilets or disposal facilities. Also that none could be installed because of location over water and against railroad bank. Recommended that boat-house not be rented to summer people and owner agreed. Reported this to state board and they agreed it was the best solution. Found on a later visit that water was running into the lake from a kitchen drain at this boat-house. Recommended that this be stopped and the people agreed to stop it.

July 5, 1947. Made a survey of conditions at Blodgett's Landing with representative of the state board of health and the local selectmen. We found conditions very good with one exception. The state board made recommendations to the owner in this case but he made no changes. Later he had his cesspool pumped and this seemed to relieve the situation at least temporarily. No further action was taken.

July 15-20, 1947. Investigated several complaints from people in the vicinity of the Edgemont dump. I found garbage dumped around in various places and of course it smelled but otherwise the dump did not need attention. I reported this to the selectmen and they had it cleaned up. People dumping garbage at this location should bear in mind that houses and summer cottages are close by and should cover all garbage that they dump there. The only other solution is to close this dump but the residents in the area do not seem willing to take this action.

July 28, 1947. Received complaint of an overflowing cesspool at Blodgett's Landing and investigated. Found the trouble was caused by a clogged grease trap on a sink drain, contacted owner and recommended that it be cleaned, checked later and found the situation corrected.

August 16, 1947. Received a complaint from a cottage owner at Edgemont that a neighboring cesspool was overflowing and running on the surface. Investigated and found report to be true. As I was unable to contact the owner of the offending cottage I reported the conditions to the state board of health. I recommended that the owner be forced to install a septic tank with proper drainage facilities. I never received any response to my letter and I don't know if any action was taken or not. I will check this cottage again next summer.

DONALD PREBLE,  
*Health Officer.*

## REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

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### FIRES DURING 1947.

- Feb. 8 Chimney fire at Carlton Hall's. 9:00 A. M. No damage.
- June 20 Brush fire at Reece's. Apparatus and 2 men. No damage.
- Sept. 21 Chimney fire at Carlton Hall. Apparatus and 3 men. No damage.
- Oct. 21 Forest fire on Sunapee Mountain. Apparatus and 3 portable pumps. All man power available responded. Approximately 1700 acres burned.
- Dec. 20 Chimney fire at Ross Snow. Apparatus and 5 men responded. No damage.
- Dec. 28 Chimney fire at Louis Ansart. 9:30 A. M. Apparatus and 3 men responded. No damage.
- 6 fires attended during 1947.

The Newbury Fire Department takes this opportunity to thank each and every one who assisted the department fight the forest fire on Sunapee Mountain.

GEORGE E. CROTEAU,  
*Fire Chief.*

## INFORMATION BOOTH REPORT

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### 1947 SEASON

Opened June 28th                      Closed Sept. 1st.

9:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M.

#### Number stopped for Information

2627 cars	87 Pedestrians
38 Bicycles	80 Telephones

#### of the above

721 asked for General Directions and information  
344 asked for Hotels, Tourist Homes and Rooms  
463 asked for Cabins and Housekeeping Cabins  
176 asked for cottages  
167 asked for Amusements  
63 asked for Bathing facilities and picnic grounds  
140 asked for Lunch Rooms  
374 asked for Literature and Maps  
172 asked for Antiques and Gift Shops  
73 asked for Mountain Trails  
47 asked for Information on Churches  
39 asked for Bus Time  
25 asked for Baby Sitters  
30 asked for information in regard to Horse back riding.

Cars stopping for information carried number plates from  
Twenty-six different States.

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Appropriation from Town .....	\$200.00
Appropriations from Individuals ...	150.00

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\$350.00



Operating Expense .....	\$321.60	
Telephone .....	19.12	
Incidentals .....	.63	
	<hr/>	\$341.35
Balance on hand .....		<hr/> \$8.65

GEORGE W. BERGLUND.

## DARTMOUTH-LAKE SUNAPEE REGION REPORT

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The Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region has been putting in a lot of hard work on a lot of projects and would do more if their funds would permit, among them at the improvement of the Wadleigh State Park in Sutton, the Kearsarge State Reservation, improving the mountain road from Warner, the Winslow State Park in Wilmot, the Pillsbury State Area in Washington and Goshen which could be developed so it could equal if not surpass the Bear Brook Reservation with trails connecting the Pillsbury reservation with the Sunapee Mountain project, this has been signed by the Governor and Council and should be started this year, also the Public Bathing beach at Lake Sunapee.

They are working on a membership drive to obtain more funds. Any one interested in being a sustaining member may send \$1.00 or more, corporations and organizations by sending \$5.00 or more a year to Mr. Albert S. Carlson, Executive Secretary, Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association, Box 181, Lebanon, New Hampshire.

The Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association and the Tramway Committee worked very hard to make a success of the Tramway project to be presented to the Governor and Council making it a success.

Thirty-four of the thirty-eight towns contributed this last year for a total of \$3,606.19. This is the best year on towns contributing.

Following is an outline of the literature which has been sent out, the greater part went outside of the state.

115,000 individual pieces of literature have been issued with region name on them.

34,000 individual pieces of literature have had all the towns in the region listed in them.

Region Advertisements paid for in the winter and summer recreation issues of the New York Times (Sunday), New York Herald Tribune (Sunday), Boston Sunday Globe, as well as Dartmouth Alumni Magazine and Argus-Champion Mailway Edition.

Literature distributed includes:—

- 45,000 Accommodations Listings
- 23,000 Return post cards
- 18,000 Picture booklets
- 15,000 Bookmarks
- 10,000 Winter Vacation folders
- 4,000 Region Bulletins
- 2,000 Canaan Fair leaflets
- 2,000 Organization pamphlets
- 1,000 Wall maps
- 1,000 Winter sports posters
- 1,000 Investments-Management Opportunity folders
- 1,000 Fish and Game pamphlets.

Any one wishing to have any thing listed in the booklets or would like any of the material may have it by getting in touch with Mr. Carlson, Box 181, Lebanon.

The following is a report of the receipts and disbursements:

Cash in Bank .....	\$2,807.42
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Add Receipts:

State Contributions .....	\$2,825.00
Town Contributions .....	3,606.19
Memberships .....	285.00
Miscellaneous .....	45.36

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Total Receipts .....	\$9,568.97
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Deduct Disbursements:

Secretary and Clerk .....	\$3,072.86
President and Clerk .....	60.00
Travel — Secretary .....	229.18
Advertising .....	38.45
Postage .....	312.06
Promotion Work .....	2,363.21
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	192.11
Region Book .....	2,557.50
Telephone .....	100.70
Audit .....	13.20
Miscellaneous .....	164.04

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Total disbursements .....\$9,103.38

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Cash in Bank — April 30, 1947 ..... \$465.59

There are several committee meetings throughout the region at various time with notices of meeting in the Manchester Union and Argus-Champion to which any one interested is welcome to attend.

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*Counsellor-Director.*

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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*To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Newbury qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eighth day of March at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditor, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committee in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To see if the district will vote to repair or dispose of the Baker Hill Schoolhouse.

10. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed one half of one percent of the total assessed valuation, as a sinking fund for a future building program.

11. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate sufficient money to provide an adequate water supply for the South School.

12. To see if the district will vote to continue the Hot Lunch Program, and to see what sum shall be raised and appropriated.

13. To see if the district will vote to accept the system of Non-Partisan Ballot.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand at said Newbury this 26th day of January, 1948.

EILEEN PREBLE,  
J. HIRAM MITCHELL,  
C. MERRILL DUBAY,  
*School Board*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

EILEEN PREBLE,  
J. HIRAM MITCHELL,  
C. MERRILL DUBAY,  
*School Board*



## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1948-1949

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School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948.

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

#### Support of Schools:

Teachers' Salaries .....	\$5,000.00
Text Books .....	200.00
Scholars' Supplies .....	100.00
Other Expenses of Instruction ...	60.00
Janitor Service .....	350.00
Fuel .....	450.00
Water, Light, Janitor's Supplies ..	200.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses ....	600.00
Health Supervision (Medical In- spection) .....	200.00

#### Transportation of Pupils:

High Schools .....	1,400.00
Elementary Schools .....	3,000.00
Miscellaneous Activities .....	250.00
Other Special Activities .....	100.00

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\$11,910.00

#### Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District) .....	\$325.00
Truant Officer and School Census (Fixed by District) .....	20.00

Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies (Esti- mated by board) .....	3,000.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union) .....	300.00
Per Capita Tax (Report of State Treasurer) .....	100.00
Other Obligations imposed by law or established by district .....	350.00
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	\$4,095.00

Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget .....	\$16,005.00
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#### ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State Aid (December 1948 Allot- ment) .....	\$661.71
Dog Tax (Estimate) .....	85.00
Income from Trust Funds (Estimate) .....	35.00
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Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised by Taxation) .....	781.71
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Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget .....	\$15,223.29

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE NEWBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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For the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1946, and ending  
June 30, 1947.

### RECEIPTS

#### Federal Aid:

National School Lunch (Food and Nonfood) .....	\$92.80
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#### Local Taxation (Money actually received):

Support of schools, tuition, salaries, debt and interest and other statutory obligations .....	8,816.00
Bonus — 1947 .....	700.00

#### From Sources Other than Taxation:

Dog licenses .....	161.63
Income from local trust funds .....	35.00
Sale of property .....	25.00
Receipts for school lunches .....	25.00

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Total receipts from all sources .....	\$9,855.43
Cash on hand at beginning of year July 1, 1946 .	1,542.23

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Grand Total .....	\$11,397.66
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## PAYMENTS

### Administration:

Salaries of district officers .....	\$173.02
Superintendent's excess salary .....	200.00
Tax for state wide supervision .....	94.00

### Expenses of administration:

Clerical assistants .....	54.00
Supplies and expenses .....	75.08

### Instruction:

Principals' and teachers' salaries .....	4,199.15
Text books .....	35.38
Scholars' supplies .....	38.87
Other expenses of instruction:	
Supplies, other expenses .....	20.38

### Operation of School Plant:

Janitors' salaries .....	306.10
Fuel or heat .....	397.78
Water, light, janitor's supplies .....	89.84
Repairs and replacements .....	199.68

### Auxiliary Activities:

#### Health supervision:

Salaries .....	145.83
Supplies and expenses .....	2.55

#### Transportation:

Contract services .....	2,287.63
Tuition—Elementary and Secondary .....	1,766.42

#### Other activities:

##### (a) School lunches:

Food .....	148.22
Other .....	23.00

(b) Other .....	60.00
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Fixed Charges:

State retirement and other .....	95.00
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Capital Outlay:

New equipment .....	1.86
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Total Payments for All Purposes .....	\$10,413.79
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Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1947) .....	983.87
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GRAND TOTAL .....	\$11,397.66
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## BALANCE SHEET, JUNE 30, 1947

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ASSETS	
Cash on hand .....	\$983.87
Total Assets .....	<u>\$983.87</u>
Grand Total .....	<u>\$983.87</u>
LIABILITIES	
Total Liabilities .....	\$983.87
Grand Total .....	<u>\$983.87</u>

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Newbury of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,  
*Auditor.*

July 12th, 1947.



## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947

### SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Kenneth Beal, Member of School Board .....	\$28.00
Sarah W. Booth, Member of School Board ....	29.00
C. M. Dubay, Member of School Board .....	11.51
J. Hiram Mitchell, Member of School Board ...	55.01
John H. Gillingham, School Clerk and Treasurer	42.50
Merle S. Rich, Moderator .....	2.00
Randolph Milligan, Auditor .....	5.00
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Total .....	\$173.02

### SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

Superintendent's excess salary .....	\$200.00
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### TRUANT OFFICER AND SCHOOL CENSUS

John H. Gillingham, enumerating children .....	20.00
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### EXPENSE OF ADMINISTRATION

Walter P. Miner, Renewal Treasurer's Bond ..	5.00
Edson C. Eastman, General Fund Book .....	12.50
J. Charles Williams, District Share Union Secretary's salary .....	54.00
Alice P. J. Bixby, Stamped envelopes .....	13.39
Helen E. Scribner, District Share Banquet Expense .....	7.40
John A. Sinclair, 1/10 share Union expense ...	13.54
Citizen's National Bank, Service Charges .....	3.25
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Total .....	\$109.08

### TEACHERS' SALARIES

George B. Hearn, Salary .....	\$1,600.00
George B. Hearn, Bonus .....	300.00
Ella D. Perham, Salary .....	1,520.00
Ella D. Perham, Bonus .....	300.00
Barbara Mitchell .....	40.00
Gretel Cole .....	80.00
Blanche C. Bailey .....	290.20
Blue Cross .....	11.65
Withholding Tax on Teachers' Salaries .....	57.30
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Total .....	\$4,199.15

### TEXT BOOKS

Expense for books for one year .....	\$35.38
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### SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Expense for one year .....	\$38.87
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### FLAG AND APPURTENANCES

Flag rope and installation .....	\$7.39
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### OTHER EXPENSE OF INSTRUCTION

Expense for one year .....	\$12.99
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### JANITOR SERVICE

George B. Hearn .....	\$204.60
Ella D. Perham .....	92.50
Gretel Cole .....	5.00
Barbara Mitchell .....	2.50
Fleurette Croteau .....	1.50
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Total .....	\$306.10

## FUEL EXPENSE

Fuel to May 1st .....	\$397.78
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## WATER, LIGHTS AND JANITOR'S SUPPLIES

Public Service .....	\$53.36
H. P. Eaton, testing water .....	1.10
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Bulbs and fuses .....	1.05
West Disinfecting Company, Paper towels .....	22.33
The Holmerden Company, Paper Cups .....	12.00
Total .....	\$89.84

## MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

Louis S. Ansart, cutting grass .....	5.00
Louis S. Ansart, removing snow .....	1.50
Fleurette Croteau, cleaning schools .....	16.51
J. Hiram Mitchell, cutting grass and cleaning yard .....	8.50
J. Hiram Mitchell, cleaning roofs .....	4.20
Charles W. Sanborn, labor on floor and desks —both schools .....	34.45
Arthur E. Rowe, labor and materials .....	2.35
A. B. Corbett, cleaning furnace .....	7.50
Arthur E. Rowe, starting burner .....	1.25
Mrs. M. N. Lapanne, tuning pianos.....	8.00
Ralph W. Shaw, repairing windows .....	3.20
David S. Hammond, well covers .....	27.94
Harold Newell, repairs on radio .....	5.73
Merton E. Perkins, labor on water—South school .....	11.20
Arthur Rowe, new circuit for oil burner .....	4.95
Arthur B. Gardner, labor and material .....	57.40
Total .....	\$199.68

### MEDICAL INSPECTION

Ruth B. Whitcomb, Salary and supplies .....	\$148.38
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### TRANSPORTATION

Merle S. Rich .....	\$1,170.00
Milford W. Newell .....	990.00
Louis S. Ansart .....	115.20
Joseph E. LaBarre, refund High School Trans. ....	12.43
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Total .....	\$2,287.63

### HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Simonds Free High School .....	\$1,182.00
Newport High School .....	584.42
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Total .....	\$1,766.42

### OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Coolidge & Edmunds, Kitchen Equipment .....	\$30.21
Coolidge & Edmunds, spoons and electric plate .	12.85
Bill Dunn, Soccer and Foot Balls .....	20.60
John H. Gillingham, Milk .....	15.68
George Allen, posts .....	3.00
Lake Sunapee Trading Company .....	63.48
Blanche C. Bailey, transportation to Plymouth ..	7.50
George B. Hearn, Express .....	1.39
George B. Hearn, Reimbursement hot lunch ....	11.23
Ella D. Perham, Reimbursement hot lunch .....	5.28
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Total .....	\$171.22

### OTHER FIXED CHARGES

Teachers' Retirement .....	\$95.00
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NEW EQUIPMENT

Edward E. Babb, Pencil Sharpener .....	\$1.86
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PER CAPITA TAX

State Treasurer .....	\$94.00
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REFUND

Town over payment on dog tax .....	\$60.00
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Total payments of the year July 1, 1946 to June 30, 1947 .....	<hr/> \$10,413.79
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## ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

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Cash on Hand June 30, 1946 (Treasurer's Bank Balance) .....	\$1,542.23
Received from Selectmen, appropriations for current year .....	8,816.00
Dog Tax .....	161.63
Income from trust funds .....	35.00
Special appropriation (teachers' bonus) .....	700.00
Received from state treasurer (Federal aid to Hot Lunch program) .....	92.80
Received from all other sources .....	50.00
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Total Amount Available For Fiscal Year Balance and receipts .....	\$11,397.66
Less School Board Orders Paid .....	10,413.79
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Balance on Hand As Of June 30, 1947 (Treasurer's balance) .....	\$983.87

JOHN H. GILLINGHAM,  
*District Treasurer.*



## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the district of Newbury, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947 and find them correct in all respects.

RANDOLPH H. MILLIGAN,  
*Auditor.*

# REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the School Board of Newbury District:*

During the year 1946-1947 the following teachers were employed:

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Training</i>	<i>Yr.</i>
			<i>Grad.</i>
		Clark	
South,	Mr. George B. Hearn	University	1940
Center,	Miss Ella D. Perham	K.T.C.	1931
	*Mrs. Barbara P. Mitchell	K.T.C.	1934
Music	Miss Blanche C. Bailey	K.T.C.	1932

\* Mrs. Mitchell substituted for Miss Perham during her absence.

## GENERAL STATISTICS

	South	Center	Total 1946-47	Total 1945-46
Half days in session .....	350	348	349	354
Half days lost .....	10	12	11	6
Number pupils registered ...	20	12	32	27
Average membership .....	18.30	11	30.61	23.19
Percent attendance .....	96.30	91.36	94.74	96.37
Number of tardinesses .....	2	1	3	44
Average tardiness per pupil ..	.1	.09	.09	1.4
Number visits Superintendent ..	22	16	38	23
Number visits School Board ..	32	15	47	18
Number visits Citizens .....	20	49	69	41

18 pupils attended high schools outside of the district.

## GRADUATES

June 1947

Katherine Blake

Carolyn Hall

Willis Hall

This is the school report for the year 1946-1947 but any remarks that I have to make will have to be for the period from July 1, 1947 to the time which this report was written.

Hot lunches were started in the schools after the Christmas vacation. Even in this short period of time it is possible to say that excellent meals are being served and the children are doing full justice to them. Special credit is due the Hot Lunch Committee for their work in getting the program organized; Mrs. "Jim" and Mrs. LaPorte for being willing to prepare the meals and an extra gold star for doing such a grand job of preparing the meals.

There are two other problems which the people of Newbury should consider very seriously. One is providing transportation for high school pupils and the other is the co-operative school district. Many states pay for the cost of high school transportation and already in this state many towns accept this as their responsibility and more are taking over the cost of this service every year. It seems reasonable to assume that if a community is liable for the high school education of a child it should also be liable for getting the child to that school.

Many groups of towns are considering the possibility of setting up a Co-operative High School District whereby they will have a consolidated high school instead of several small schools. A consolidated school means a better staffed, more economic unit. The value to Newbury would be that the people of Newbury would have something to say about what kind of an education their high school children are going to have. That is determined by the school board of the town in which the present high school happens to be. In a cooperative school Newbury would have a representative or representatives on the Co-operative Board.

It has been a pleasure working with the parents, teachers and school board of Newbury. I have also enjoyed working with the young people although the games at the Center School are less strenuous for an elderly gentleman than those at the South School.

WILLIAM C. STERLING,  
*Superintendent of Schools.*

## REPORT OF NEWBURY SCHOOL HEALTH EXAMINATION

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The School Nurse submits the following report :

Number of pupils examined      28

<i>Defects found</i>		<i>Corrections made</i>	
Vision	2	Vision	3
Teeth	19	Teeth	9
Glands	2		

### *Communicable Diseases*

Skin Diseases                      3

### *Special activities*

Audiometer—  
(Hearing test) 20

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R. N.  
*School Nurse.*

## VITAL STATISTICS

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### BIRTHS

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Registered in the Town of Newbury, N. H. for the year  
ending December 31, 1947.

1947

Feb. 28 Sanford John Folsom; Harold John Folsom;  
Elizabeth Audrey MacDonald.

June 21 William Holmes Davis 2nd; William Holmes  
Davis; Hope Davis.

Nov. 4 William Oliver Alfred Anderson; Urho Emil  
Anderson; Alice Frieda Stone.

## MARRIAGES

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Registered in the Town of Newbury, N. H. for the year  
ending December 31, 1947.

1947

- Jan. 1    Newport, Walter Lorraine Leach and Alice Elizabeth Richie; Rev. William P. Neal.
- Aug. 10    Newbury, James Franklin Knotts and Mary Julia Titus; Bishop Lewis O. Hartman.
- Dec. 13    Newmarket, Mark Shultis and Nathalie Towle Dutton; Rev. Ernest A. McKenzie.



## DEATHS

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Registered in the Town of Newbury, N. H. for the year  
ending December 31, 1947.

1946

May 21	Loren C. Ayer	79 years
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1947

Apr. 13	Neva Belle Ayer	71 years
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July 6	Vincent R. Delnoce	84 years
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July 25	Stephen Starkey	72 years
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Sept. 29	Harry Towne Jones	68 years
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I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according  
to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE W. BERGLUND,  
*Town Clerk.*















